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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re/ Application of R. Singh, H. Pham, D. Wilson, and R. Thomas

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Examiner: Gregory E. Webb
Group Art Unit: 1751

**AZEOTROPE-LIKE COMPOSITIONS OF
TETRAFLUOROPROPENE AND TRIFLUOROIODOMETHANE**

(Attorney Docket No. H0007522)

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Dear Sir:


Consideration of this submission, which is responsive to the Notice of Allowability mailed March 16, 2005, is respectfully requested.

Applicants note the Examiner's statement that certain U.S. Patents, including U.S. Patent 2,931,840- Marquis, teach the use of trifluoroiodomethane as a precursor to the formation of trifluoropropene. See Notice of Allowability, page 2, paragraph 4.

Applicants wish to point out that the Marquis patent, and in particular the Examples referred by the Examiner, disclose the formation of tetrafluoropropene. Applicants do not believe that this misstatement changes in anyway the conclusions otherwise articulated in the Examiner's Reasons for Allowance, and accordingly the application should proceed to issuance upon payment of the issue fee, which is forthcoming.

Respectfully submitted,

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